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FILE HEADING.

Construction of a Church of St. Theresha on Site Nos. 30 and 31 granted by the Sanitary Board of Kolar Gold Fields, at Robertsonpet, Bowringpet Taluk—

From

The M. C.

No. 1435- Dated 7. 3. 29 Received

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Recommends permission for the construction of the church on condition that a stone tablet "that they shall not raise any protest" is fixed in the front wall in a prominent position.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

No precedents are readily available to show whether permission in the Inwd. Dept. was being granted in the past for construction of christian places of worship? May the M. C. be requested to state whether there

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the cases in which sanction has been given by post in the Revs Dept, for such construction and if not, the sanction in this Dept is now solicited, the under the orders, churches are being built in the State etc.)

Submr. for orders

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15.3.24.

Noted.

The general principles applicable to the construction of new places of worship appears also to apply to the present case. The plan of the locality where the church is to be built is not send & it is not possible to form any opinion re. its situation in relation to other institutions or to dwellings of other religious communities. Sig for consideration. & appd this will be sent to the Pro. Dept.

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It seems that the principle of giving sanction to the construction of temples and mosques may as well be extended to the churches also. There seems to be no necessity to send this to Pro. Branch

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The Min is proposal may be noted

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From

The M[illegible]

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To

Sir,

I [illegible]

2. I beg to [illegible]

Mr. P.S. Thomlinson [illegible]

I have the [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

H Hamilton, Q.

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Letter No.A2.C.1102/28-... dated 30th February 1928 from the Deputy Commissioner Kolar District to the Muzrai Commissioner Bangalore.

Subject.- construction of a Church of St.[illegible] at Robertsonpet, Kolar Gold Field area.

I have the honor to forward herewith a copy of letter No.[illegible] 27-28 dated 5th January 1928 from the Vice President Central Board, Kolar Gold Fields in the matter of the construction of a Church of St.Theresa at Robertsonpet, Powringpet taluk and to state that under the circumstances stated in the Vice President's letter the Government may kindly be moved to grant permission for the construction of the Church on condition that a stone tablet "that they shall not raise any protest" will be required to be fixed in the front wall in a prominent position.

The file of correspondence containing the stamped sketch etc., as per pherist is herewith enclosed for reference and early return when no longer required.

"C o p y"

For Muzrai Commissioner.

Copy of B.C.347/27-28 dated 8th January 1928, from the Vice President, Sanitary Board, Kolar Gold Fields, Champion Reefs, to the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.

(Re: construction of a church of St.Theresa at Robertsonpet)

Mr. P. S. Thamlia and other representatives of the Catholic -- Congregation of Robertsonpet and surrounding places, applied for the grant of building sites Nos.30 and 31 in Robertsonpet zone for the purpose of constructing a Church of St.Theresa in accordance with the plans enclosed herein.

The sites are situated opposite the present quarters occupied by the Medical Officer of Health and seem to be quite suitable for constructing a Church from the Sanitary point of view.

Mr P.S. Thamlia another leading representatives of the Catholic -- Contregation have also executed a written Mutchalika on a stamped paper agreeing to certain conditions chief among them being "that they shall not raise any protest against or cause any obstruction to procession of any kind got up according to the prevalent customs of other religions passing on any of the roads all round the site allotted to the proposed Church etc., and that they shall abide by all orders issued by the -- Sanitary Board or any Government Officer, etc.,

The matter came up before the Sanitary Board at their last meeting held on the 21st December 1928, when the Board passed the following resolution:--

"(1) "The sites in question may be granted, free of cost subject to the approval of Father Jauffrineau in writing and

(ii) the sanction of Government should also be obtained as required under the standing orders, for the construction of the Church"

Rev. Father Fauffrineau was consulted in the matter and has approved of the grant of these sites for the construction of the Chapel in question.

In the circumstances sanction may be accorded for the grant of the sites referred to free of cost., for the purpose as recommended by the Sanitary Board and orders of Government may be kindly obtained for ----- permitting the construction of the church on these sites of such sanction is found necessary under the standing orders of the Rules.

The whole file of correspondence with the stamped mutchalika, letter in original dated 3rd January 1928 from Rev. Father Jauffrineau of Champion Reefs, and plans, is submitted herewith to the Deputy ------

Commissioner

Commissioner, Kolar District, for favour of perusal and urgent ---
orders.

"C o p y"

For Muzrai Commissioner.

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Signed by.....

Read—

Letter no. 1435 Dt 7.3.29 from the D.C. submitting copy of letter no. A_2-C. 1402/28-29 Dt 20th Feby. 1929 from the D.C., Kolar Dist., requesting necessary permission being given to Mr. B.S. Thambia and other representatives of the Catholic Congregation of Robertsonpet and surrounding places for the construction of a church of St. Theresa on site nos. 30 and 31 granted by the Sanitary Board of Kolar Gold Fields

May this be

i Printed ?

ii treated as a standing order ?

iii published in the Gazette, English Part ?

iv translated ?

v placed at the disposal of the press ?

vi published in the Gazette, Kannada Part ?

Order Thereon No.

for the purpose and re-
commending that permission
sought for may be granted
subject to the conditions
mentioned in the Muhalaika Dt 19.11.1928
executed by Mr. B. S. Nambiar
and others, and also to the
fixing of a stone tablet
in the front wall
of the church in a
prominent position.

under A113-49 & 24-25.
Case no. file 6 III C.

The D.C.'s recommendation
is sanctioned, subject to
the usual conditions attaching to
the construction of new places
of worship.

List of enclosure.

Copied by

Examined by

for Secretary,
Chief

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THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

Read:-

Letter No. 1436, dated 7th March 1929, from the Muzrai Commissioner, submitting copy of letter No. A.P.S. 1403/28-29, dated 20th February 1929, from the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, requesting necessary permission being given to Mr. S. Thumbia and other representatives of the Catholic congregation of Robertsonpet and surrounding places for the construction of a Church of St. Theresa on site nos. 30 and 31 granted by the Sanitary Board of Kolar Gold Fields for the purpose and recommending that permission sought for may be granted subject to the conditions mentioned in the muchalika dated 19th November 1928 executed by Mr. S.S. Thumbiah and others, and also to the fixing of a stone tablet in the front wall of the Church in a prominent position.

Order No. 2113-4/Muz 345 28-2

Bangalore, dated the 2nd April March 1929.

The Muzrai Commissioner's recommendation is sanctioned, subject to the usual conditions attaching to the construction of new places of worship.

For Secretary to Government,
Financial Department.

To

The Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore, returning the records.

The Comptroller to Government.